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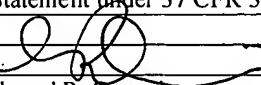
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**Application No.** 10/524,886

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**For:** CLOSURE SYSTEM FOR A VIAL, VIAL, METHOD OF CLOSING AND FILLING A VIAL AND A STAND FOR A VIAL

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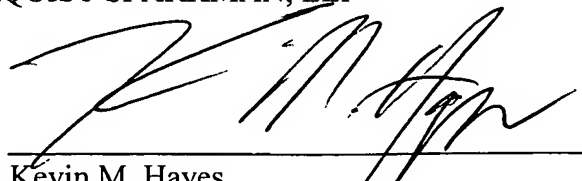
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